

REMARKS

For the convenience of the Examiner, attached is a compilation of claims 24 - 85 pending in the application after entry of the above requested amendments.

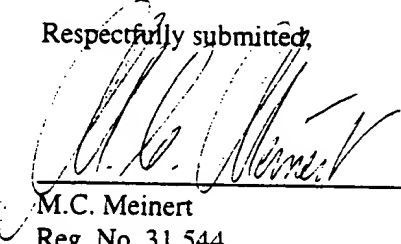
Applicants respectfully request entry of the amendments and allowance of the claims.

CONCLUSION

Should the Examiner believe that a telephone interview would assist in clarifying any remaining issues, or to otherwise expedite prosecution, Applicants respectfully invite the Examiner to call the undersigned attorney at the telephone number provided below.

If any additional fee is due with regard to this paper, Applicants hereby authorize payment of such fee from Deposit Account No. 07-1060.

Respectfully submitted,



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